

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Pearce et al. )  
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For: Mitigating Errors in a )  
Distributed Speech Recognition )  
Process )  
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Serial No.: 09/830,306 )  
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Filed: April 25, 2001 )  
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Examiner: Wozniak, J. )  
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Art Unit: 2626 )  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

**Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review, and  
Petition Requesting a One Month Extension**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 41.31, the applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner, dated May 16, 2007. The petition requesting a one month extension extends the response date from August 16, 2007 to September 17, 2007, the first business day after September 16, 2007, which coincides with a Sunday.

In connection with the Notice of Appeal, Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review, and Petition requesting a one month extension, a fee in the amount of \$620 is believed to be due, which corresponds to the fee for filing a Notice of Appeal (\$500) and the fee for requesting the one month extension (\$120). The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge said fee, to Motorola's Deposit Account No. 50-2117. In the event, that any additional fees

including fees to cover a deficiency associated with any underpayments, are deemed to be necessary, in connection with the present action on the part of the applicant, the Commissioner is further authorized to charge any such fee or credit any overpayments to the above noted deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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